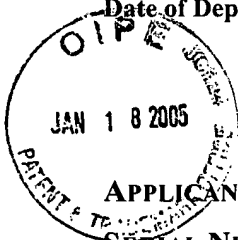


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REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.114

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. Enclosed herein are the following:

- Amendment and Response to Advisory Action (6 pgs.);
- Information Disclosure Statement (2 pgs.);
- Modified Form 1449/PTO (1 pg.) in duplicate;
- Copies of Cited References C1-C2;
- Petition Two-Month Extension of Time (1 pg.);
- Check No. 19912 in the amount of \$225.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a)(2);
- Check No. 19913 in the amount of \$395.00 under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e); and
- Return Postcard.

Applicants herein request continued examination of Application No. 10/009,809. Included with this request are the required elements of 1) a request; 2) a submission; and 3) a fee. The submission provided herein is an Amendment and Response to Advisory Action and Information Disclosure Statement. With such a timely filed request, submission, and fee, Applicants believe that the Amendment and Response to the Advisory Action and the Information Disclosure Statement should be entered and considered.

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Applicants believe that no additional fees are due with this filing. However, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees that may be due, or credit any overpayment of same, to Deposit Account No. 50-0311, Reference No. 24025-501 NATL.

Respectfully submitted,


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